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Finia, November 5 .- Nove from Uganda states that on 6th August a party of 80 men. of the 27th Bombay Infantry and 14 mon of to hand encounter with a Dervich, in which the Uganda Rifles under Lieut. Price were his sword doubled up, he said that many attacked by some 200. Langos armed with exergerated reports had been given of his bows and arrows, who were driven off with experience. JAPITAL PAID-UP of Ebou, Occ The same day a portion of above column

Bomber in de me in allendigen four hours, finally dispersing them with the loss of one killed and 13 wounded. LNTEREST alloyed on Ourrest Account at the rate of 2 % por notion on the Rifles and 50 Swahills under Lieutenant Wake, was attacked by a party of about-100 Soudanese, assisted by a large number of Waganda and Wanijora tribesmen. Our casualties were four killed and ten wounded. The enemy lost eighteen killed.

THE ECHMISSION OF THE AFRIDIS. Tirgas have accepted the Government terms fully. The headmen of the class have affixed their scale to the document and are making public prayers at Peshawar in ac- fatal moment, if the Dervish had turned to cordance with the cust in of the tribes. LORD CURION ON INDIA. -

Landon, November 7. - Lord Curzon, speaking at a Banquet given in his honour, at the Royal Societies, Club this, evening, men. The man was found dead a little fursaid he was glad and proud to assume the ther on. Viceroyalty because India was the pivot and centre of the Imperial system. He re- | mald, a lot of talk about a mail-olad forred to Afghanistan as the glacis of the | warrior, and it was said that his sword bent Indian Fortress, and said the secret of because it struck on his armour. Perdealing with the Tribeamen is to treat them | sonally, he did not know he was clad in as men. His Lordship eulogised the armour, but that he was so is quite possible bravery and loyalty of the native troops, and added that we hold India by the aid when it struck the Dervish it doubled up. of her own sons.

Madras, Nov. 7 .- A case of Plague has occurred within the Madras Municipal limits. The patient, now in the segrega- brought home to England as a trophy, tion hospital, arrived from Bangalore on Thursday, but failed to report himself till after Friday, and was not apprehended till Saturday night. Meanwhile, he had ducted by the HONGKONG AND visited many houses. The houses he lived in contains 45 persons, and some opposition was shown to segregation ; but no disturbance pecurred. Every precaution and complate disinfection is being taken by the authorities to prevent the spread of the

THE PLAGUE IN INDIA.

INTEREST on deposits is allowed at Rombay, Nov. 8 -The Plague returns for the past week show that the decline continues in Bombay City, the douths fait ing from \$6 to 50. In the Presidency districts, the deaths decreased from 4,000 FIXED DEPOSIT at 4 PER UERT, per to 3,700. The spidemic continues toyers in Bangalore. Three deaths were reported in Karachl. The position is unchanged in Hyderabad State and in the Madras Pre-

> FAR EASTERN FLEETS AND THE COAL SUPPLY. -

The following translation from L'In. dependence l'onkinoise is taken from the Soldiers and Sailors 15 Singapore Free Press :-

Whatever it be, the situation between Russia and England is very strained. Will Miscollaneous (Rothe spark which is to set fire to the powder yalty, Nurses, etc.) 6 come from the East of the Far East? We should be more disposed to believe that the conflagration will arise from complications Japan. Moreover, the British are making total population of the United Kingtheir preparations. It is announced, in fact, that the British squadron in Chinese waters has received orders to prepare acreinforced by some cruisers generally population and 17.77 of the famous; while Settlements. On the other hand Russia is and 2.44 of the famous. That is to saymassing her troops, at Vialivostock. England has only produced six-sevenths of Transports have brought there a certain her proper share of famous people; Scat-number of officers of all arms, and consider. have produced 70 per cent. more than able orders of tinned beef have been given to Australia and America. Large supplies of coal and of war material have been laid down at Port Arthur. All that does not than her proper share. one side or the other. It is obvious that viously depends on his principle of selection peace cannot last. It is pretended that of the famous 287. As he does not allow England, which has excellent depots of to Wales a single orator or a single preacher as far as the China Sea, has established question his results. In any case, the everywhere enormousi stocks of coal. It is even declared that she has bought the whole disposable stock at all ports in order ago. to umbarasa, should anything happen, rival powers not possessing in the Far East large stocks of coal and not being able to renew these save with the greatest difficulty. England has in effect a great superiority. from this point of view, not only over Russia, but over all the other European powers. She has porta belonging to her all the way from Port Said as far as Shanghai. By scuttling a mercantile marine steamer in the Sucz Canal, she can close the route to her enemies and compil a hostile squadron to pass by the Cape of Good Hope. During that time she would complete her preparations or would carry out a landing of troops in order to make a well-considered over-

could not yet resupply them by land, the Trans-Siberian railway not yet being finish-France is more favoured from this point of view than the other powers. For all that, we think it will be more prudent for her to occupy herself henceforth with the establishment of substantial coal depôts at

sion. She has coal depots at Port Said,

Suez, Perim, Aden, Colombe, Singapore,

Hongkong and Shanghai. Germany and

nothing, and it was that that drove her to

take Kiao-chau. Russia has only two porta

to the north of the China scas, and she

Saigon, Tourane, Hongay and Kebao. The coal mines in Tonkin furnish at the present moment coal in sufficient quantity to ensure, in case of war and in case of the absolute want of Cardiff or Newcastle coal, steam for the ships of our squadron, and of that of our ally. But it may be asked whether this coal would furnish sufficient steam raising heat to drive the powerful engines of our crokers, and whether it would not be necessary to make a change, in the design of the furnaces. That is a question outside our power to deal with: Nagazaki .. - - - - - but it ought to be studied, for it would be prudent to face the eventuality of a want of the coal consumed generally by warships. We deem it to be wise to establish large supplies of this country's ocal, in Swatow ... 30,20 65 - RW 5 order to prepare for modifications to be Conton ... 30.2 58 53 N introduced into the designs of boilers and Hongkong 30.19 30 NNR 3 furnaces, permitting of the exclusive use Vict. Peak — — NNW 7 of this coal, in the absence of every other | Gap Rock 30.17 sort. These precautions once taken, we Macao 30.23 65 - NAW shall merely have to await events. Thus Haiphong. 30.28, 60 - 2 2 prepared, and confident in our good right we would not doubt of the success of the claims of our friends [Russia] whether these be pacific or warlike.

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The ofreumstaness were very simple. DIAMOND As they came ever the nullah, he saw a pursued another party of about sixty for Dervish making off, and, saying to himself. 'I'll have a go at this fellow, he started after him. The Dervish was mounted on A column of 75 Nubians of the Uganda an Arab horas, which, however, was in bad condition, and, riding on a stordy English pony, the lieutenant soon gained on him. Seeing he was hotly pursued, the Dorvich turne | round and fired his rifle at him. Whether the shot came near he did not

know; the only thing he know was that he was not hit, and he got up to the warrior. Bombay, November 6. - The entire Afridi When near enough, he delivered a point at his back with his sword but to his dismay the sword bent, and was almost useless. This would have been a critical, probably a fight, but he was desperately bent on getting away. Lieutenant Wormald aimed at his head with the doubled weapon, and then, being a leader of his troops, returned to his

> There had been, said Lieutenant Wor--the sword must have been soft, and The young officer spoke with a little contempt about the untrustworthy blade one loses confidence if his sword will not do his work. The blade, however, has been

PREDOMINANT PARTNER BELOW PAR.

England, Ireland, Scotland or Wales—which country has played the most prominout part in the history of our Empire ' since 1600 ? That is the somewhat appailing question which Mr G. A. Wade undertakes to answer in Pearson's for October. Ma Wade estimates the number of 'lamous men and wangen in the last 208 years to be proceedy 287. The results of his comparison are these !-

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England counts 72.88 per cent. of the famous : Scotland, 10.66 per cent. of the. population and 17:42 per cent. of the famous; Ireland, 12:46 per cent. of the her proper share; Ireland has produced nearly 50 per cent. more than her proper MODERATE PRICES. share; and Wales about two-thirds less

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Hongkong, November 18, 1898 - 22

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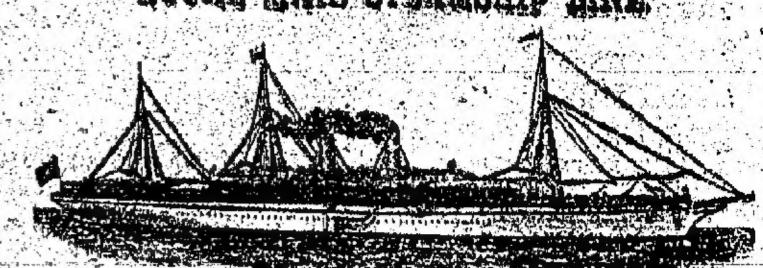
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Nev., at Noon.

LONDON, November 80. THE DREYFUS CASH The result of the preliminary enquiry into Colonol Picquart's alleged forgors the Polit bleu is that he be court-martialled.

FRANCE IN INDOORINA. The French Covernment have adopted a spheme which grapts a Sinte-guaranteed loan of two hundred million france for the construction of a Railway system in Indo-

THE ARMY AND MILITIA.

A Royal warrant has been issued which sanctions the formation of a special service section of the Militia, for service abroad with the regular army subject to certain conditions.

THE GERMAN EMPEROR'S TOUR. The Emperor William and the Empress on their roturn journey met, at Mussina, Princess Henry of Prussia, who is proceed. ing to join her husband in China.

OBITUARY

The Earl of Lathom. Edward Bootle-Wilbraham, P.C.,-G.C was created first Earl of Lathom. 1880, the title being taken from Lathom Lancashire and Skelmersdule. He was al an designated Chancellor R.V.O.; Baron Skolmoradale of Skolmoradale, Co. Langushire. Lord Chamberlain: Hon. Colonel Lancashire Hussays : Hon. Col. 1st Volunteer Battalian Loyal North Lancashire Rogiment 1 J.P., D.L. He was the only con of the late Hon. Richard Bootle-Wilbraham, M.P., and third daughter of Si Richard Brooks, Bt., having been born in 1897. In 1853 he succeeded his grandfather, 1st Lord Skelmersdale, and in 1806 married Alice. End daug tor of the fourth Earl of Clarendon. Lady Lathon died in 1697. Lord Lathom was by religion a Protestant and a Conservative in politics. Ho was educated at Etch and Christ Ohurgh, Oxford. He was Lord-in-Waibing from 1860 to 1868 (Oupbain Yaoman of the thuards, 1874-80-85; Lord Chamberlain, 4 1886 92-05 | Daputy Grand Master English | Proginazione, 1874-91; Provincial Grand Muster, 1891. A home paper contains i the following paragraph :-- At Liveron October 19, the West Lan-Lathon's services, extending over twentythree years, as Provincial Grand Muster, threw on this Government the onerous task half of my colleagues, the unofficial mempresented him, with a cheque for £500, a of maintaining the laws of neutrality. A here, and myself, I have to thank you very rose howl, and a silver vase. The cheque little Island stored with good coal, and all much for what you have just said about us, was given to Lord Lathou to dispose of as the munitions of war in great abundance and I should like to take this opportunity he thought fit, and a wish was expressed lying off a coast indented with harbours, is of addressing a few remarks to you on this that it would be devoted to some charity in which the document Counters of Lathorn would, if clive, take a warm interest. Lord Lathom was much affected, and, in noknowledging the gifts, said that last year the greatest inisfortune which could befall one man fell to him in the loss of his wife, and never would he forget the symp thy extended to him. They were raising a nursing fund for Ormskirk to visit the sick the Cottage Hospital, and as this was an object dear to his beloved wife, he would devote the money to that purpose: Ho accept his most sincers thanks. Lord German Prince charged for the first time of the Colony. Your term of for 840 is in my handwriting. I gave the Lathom is succeeded by his son, Lord With high command in Eastern, waters administration, Sir, will, it is interesting receipt to Mr Kliene. I rade out the Skelmersdale (late Major of the Royal The Prince of Prussia would have found a to remember, always be memorable in our receipt in the name of Messra Robinson to remember, always be memorable in our receipt in the name of Messra Robinson to remember, always be memorable in our and Co. Two or three days after the de-

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Ed. C.M.J

has risen rapidly in S. China where pres- magnificient harbour actually belonging to part of our very wide Empire- (applause) sure is now normal Pressure is high over another power, its forts at the eastern en-

ANOTHER VERSION. Tune -' Castles in the Air.'

The Sanitary Bairn who sits pokin' in the Glow'rin' at the fire wi' his smoothly-Girnin' at the fuffin' low, -what sees he

Ha I the young dreamer's biggin' castles in

Sic a nicht in winter may well mak him His chin upon his buffy hand will sune Fads aye wamblin' up au' doon, blazing

See how he lauchs as bright they glimmer

He sees muckle castles tooring high up to And next he sees big Brownies fairly ding-

in' them a' doon. Rabies, plague, an' cate and dowgs, an' that's rare: Wild Impa o' darkness glowrin' through his

astles in the air. He sees a new department, autocratic, glep Himself the Ruler of the Roost—appear

He yearns to do off-handed ten years' work He's one of those whom Juseph sent govern in that way.

He sees a persion in the clouds, retirement, U.M.G. But little inky deevils shout the feint hit yo'll sed, Sir Henry Blake is comin' presently, and

mark you there's the rub. He's a grand hand at the blarney when administring a shub.CHARCOAL.

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THE correspondent of the Standard telegraphed on Oct. 16 from New York - Senator Foraker, in a speech delivered at Buffalc, has given a clear indication of what would follow if the American Peace Commissioners concluded a treaty inconsi b mt with their instructions. follows the flag. he remarked ; let, us host the flag over the Philippines, and make them the base of commercial operations in Chine. I want to see the day when and Japan, that the markets of China shall Pence Commission brungs back a Treaty by which we are to had the Philippines, it will kind of Treaty, the Senate will add import ant and pertinent amendments.

THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

The Legislative Council met this afternoon. H. E. Major-General Black, C.B., Acting Governor, presided. There were protont-Hon. T. Seroombe Smith, Acting Colonial Secretary | Hon. R. D. Ormsby. Director of Public Wycks | Hon. F. H. May, C.M.O., Captain Superintendent of Polled | Hon, A. M. Thomson, Acting Colonial Tressurer | Hon. R. Murray Rumsey, Harbour Master ! Hone, C. P. Chater, C.M.G., J. J. Bell-Irving. of Councils.

bolica, and Mr W. Chatham, Assistant Director of Public Works, and Dr Atkin. Cameron and Mount Nicholson is broadened son, Principal Civil Madical Officer. MAJOR-DENERAL BLACK'S BETIRING SPECOL.

been send and approved. -All business firms whether large or small | the pleasure of the Colony and to its defence take stock once a year, and oull a moment- may be expected shortly to begin. I can ary halt to see how they stand before hardly teach you much about finance; the regirding up their loins for the work of the wanne is increasing, the financial position is coming year. Governments which are but sound, and taxation is light; but costly works large husiness firms working for the public lie ahead. New Law Courts, New General went, in the same way review each year Post Office, a new Government Residence at their position, and not only put forward the Peak and other public works for which their balance sheet that indicate with mo- money will have to be provided, in fact the dost satisfaction achemes which have run cry is ever Unward, and I have no doubt annothly and well, and gloss over those that under the able Director, the public institution. While deeply deploying the lao doubt that the Colony will advance

battle. (Applause.) The outbreak of war | task of carrying out the administration of butwoon Suain and America-two coun- the Colony. (Applause). tries in friendly relations with Englandcarried out their duties, the laws of neu- consideration for its members, and they still lie in the future and are not yet Acting Governor been called upon

welcome for his own sake. Courtequa. local annals as the year in which the exa Primes, he was welcomed by the was secured, and the part you have taken whole community of Hongkong, and the in connection therewith will always be a English inhabitants did not forget in their source of pleasantness to your Excellency welcome that he and his wife are grand- when you are far away. In taking leave of children of our beloved Queen. (Applause.) your Excellency as President of this Coun-Hongkong has long felt the anomaly of its | oil, I trust you will have a call to the use-On the 22nd at 11.40 a. The barometer position, with the northern side of its ful exercise of your energies in some other the interior of China, and gradients are trance commanded at short rifle range by as highly and as fully appreciated as they steep with monsoon gales along the coast | the Devil's Peak, and the end of its mine | are in this Colony. (Applause.) and in the N. part of the China Sea. Fore- fields almost toucling the Chinese soil, the cast :- strong to fresh N- winds, squally | Bay of Kowloon within the precincts of its | for representative of the Chinese, perharbour but outside its jurisdiction. In haps I will be permitted to add a few June lists Convention was signed by which our boundary line is pushed some 13 miles; the senior unofficial member. On behalf to the north, thus sweeping away these of the Chinese. I would acknowledge to anomalies giving Hongkong room to ex- your Excellency that they appreciate your pand, and more than all preventing the wise and benevolent administration to the passing into other hands of the roads of fullest extent, and the only regret the Chinaturally felt in Hongkong as the position of the stations of the Maritime Customs. It seems to me only just and necessary that these should receed with the new boundary,-(Ap- ruler as well as a true friend. Personally,

plause) -- for it would be an abdica- I have to thank your Excellency for the tion of sovereignty if a foreign power many kind acts that you have shown toin British waters. At the same time I Hon. Wei Yuk, thus rendering what service. He left Hongkong on October recognise that it is right that we should aid otherwise would be a difficult the friendly Government of China in to represent the Chinese her task of protecting her revenue. Council, an easy matter and also a pleasant made so difficult by the indented nature of one. I can assure your Excellency that the coast line, and to this end I have aug- long afterwards we will remember your gested that oplum should be stored in Go- kindness to us, and slso the support and vernment Godowns, and only issued on assistance you have given to us in our Government permit. In legislation much public capacity and the kindness you have useful but unobtrusive work has been shown us in our private intercourse. done. I may instance :- The Trade Marks. (Applause) Ordinance, The Liquor Licences Ordinsnoe, The Bank Note Ordinance. The in- with the business of the day, I am creased issue of Bank notes has, from sure your Excellency will excuse causes well known to you all, been long if I say that the official members of this demanded and the enlarged circulation is Council are very much indebted to your proving a great boon. The Queen's Re- Excellency for the very kind terms in creation Ground Ordinance is the last I which your Excellency has spoken of the have taken a great interest, and I have co-operation and zeal with which the offisome right to look upon it as a bantling of my own. The recurrence of the plague, with your Excellency. I do not think I has forced on every thinking man the need am flattering the Civil Service of this Springford until the day afterwards. of letting light and air into the blocks of Colony when I say that loyal co-operation Chinese houses, which, full of human be- with all its Governors, and zeal to carry ings in many cases, literally stand back to out measures conducive to the welfare of tion. back in the City of Victoria, contain- the Colony are marks of the Civil Service ing rooms into which the sun never of this Colony. I think I may go a little enters, and where the fetid air has further than merely offer the warmest no motion. Doctors and physic, good thanks of the official members. I think though they be are by themselves, are I may go further, and make myself spokespowerless to oure, while sun and air are a man of the whole Civil Servants. Many of sure preventive; and great as the task may them have not been, perhaps, brought inbe of bringing these natural agents into to personal contact with your Excellency, this recking mass of humanity their admis- but the manner in which you have ruled, sion must be secured by law. A bill is and given your decision, and the gentle-

have been made as to the shortcomings of (Applause.) the Post Office; a great deal of the conproceeded with. fusion comes from retrenchment having been carried too far, and from the business having outgrown the building. I have submitted recommendations to the Secretary of State which will, I trust, produce ME James Beethom Whitehead, who is apgreat improvement in this department, in pointed to succeed Mr Lowther as Secrewhose well-being every individual is con- tary of the British Legation in Japan, is an

creation Ground in the reservation of the honours in 1881. He entered the Diplorooky bluff on which stands the bouldets matie Service, being nominated an attache called Sung Water Toi or the Watch the same year and passed a competitive Towers of the Sung which as far as I can examination in November. He was appoint gether, is the buly historical monument ed to St. Petersburg, March, 1883, and which links modern listory with the old- promoted to be Third Secretary, Nov., 1883, world time. I make its reservation most and received an allowance for knowledge State for leave to bring in a bill to this Secretary at Rio de Janeiro, January,

pleasure of giving assent to it. A survey for part of 1897,

has been made of the Juliblus Hoad round the faland. If has been traded with past gradients, and offers in the naction hefwoon Abardeen and Doep Wathe Bay, an important mailtary reform, for part of the scheme is to fill up and furf over the featering injet to which the leading medical men of the Colony point as the source of the malaria which has so long marred the health of Aberdeen and the neighbourhood of Magazine Cap. ' I have nothing but the

good of the community at heart, and suphatically state that if you holleve modical testimony, it is your duty to decreu that this section be the first taken in hand Hoalth and pleasure are the wheels of Kai, D. R. Helillos, C.M.G., and Hone progress, and I may add of bioyoles, move Wel Yuk a and Mr J. G. T. Buckle, Clerk on roads, and in my belief a great etrengthening of the defence of this There were also present a number of Island will take place when the tracing across the pathless barrier of Moun into a road Shortly after arriving in this Colony I urged the Government to take The minutes of the last mooting having this in hand on public grounds, and it is with great pleasure that by an agreement His Excullency Major-General Black said effected on my representation this boon to

which, however well laid though they may works of the future will be an magnificent have been, have gone agley. I take, then, and useful as those undertaken in the past. no unusual course in asking you to listen. It is beyond my province to do more than while I briefly touch upon some of the allude to the great dramss that have events which have made the ten months I heen and are being enated around us. have had the honour to hold the reins. We live in a history-making epochmore eventful than many like periods of and changes are now in progress which your past history. Although less severe will powerfully affect the future destinies than in 1894, the Plague has this year of the five great nations of the world. claimed 1163 victims out of 1320 stricken. Little Hongkong is not far removed from Wisely abandoning the too stringent appli- the centre of action, and its rulers may have eation of Western methods the Government | a word to say to the shaping of events. erected suitable hespital buildings at Sir Henry Blake will shortly arrive to as-Kennedy Town, placed them in charge of sumo the roles of government and I couthe Tungwa Hospital and induced the Chi- gratulate the Colony on having secured a mens to carry their sick to that henevalent | Chief so able and so experienced, and have

loss by this droad visitation, I am glad to under his wise rule. I cannot retire from congratulate the medical profession, and the Presidency of this Council without the other Government officials whose duty | thanking the Honourable Members for the connected them with the suppression of the | soul and attention whereby they have Piague, for the atronuous and unsulfied brought to boar on all matters submitted to efforts with which they carried out their than and for the kindly spirit, which has humano clution. Three of the sisters caught animated all their dealings with me. I have the infection at the post of duty, of much pleasure in acknowledging the loyal whom two died, giving up their and willing co-operation with which the lives as nobly as men who die on Colonial Secretary and the other official the field smid the din and excitement of members have worked with me in our joint

Mr Chater-Your Excellency,

naturally a convenient spot where belligor- | occasion-being the last that you will, as ents might replenish their stores of cost () for Administering the Government, and food, and it is a source of satisfaction preside over this Council. During the ten to this Covernment that thanks to the months you have filled the chair you have energy and took with which the officials always shown the utmost courtesy and trality were strictly enforced, and yet the have shown unfalling tact in the conduct of and of the War found us on as friendly the business of the Council, and we have terms with either helligerent as at the be- now to thank your Excellency for that conginning. The changes that this war may sideration and courtesy. Your Excellency in the neighbourhood, in connection with bring may deeply affect this colony but has during the tenure of your office as within our kon. A social incident not with- exercise a good deal of nice discrimination, out its bearings on a great national move- and you have never failed to spare nient was the arrival in Hongkong of a time or trouble in connection with the cold—The deposit receipt and counterfoil and capable, yet every inch tension of the boundaries of the Colony

> -and your sterling qualities I trust will be Dr. Ho Kai-Your Excellency, as senremarks to those that have fallen nose community have is that that reign, so (Applause.) Much interest is beneficent and so conducive to their welfare, isall buttoo short. When you vacate the chair of this Council, when you leave the administration of the Government, the Chinese will feel that they will have lost a wise

Mr T. S. Smith-Before proceeding cial members of this Council have worked

far enough, but it will at least be the begin- held the roise of office cannot but be

cerned. Nearly allied to the Queen's Re- M.A. of Cambridge, where he graduated in I applied to the Secretary of Russian. He was promoted to be Second end, and his parmission is now on the 1887, and transferred to Berlin, Nov. 1889. son. I regret that I will not have the He acted as Charge d'Affaires at Munich

"UNDER THE CLOCK." SUPREME COURT.

IN CRIMINAL SESSIONS. Before His Honour Sir John W. Carrying con, Chief Justice, and a Special Jufy.) Tuesday, November 22.

THE ALLEGED PORGRAY OF A CELEGRAN

DEPENDANT ADQUITTED. Walter George Vaughan Rehinson was charged with :-(1) forging a telegram (2) uttoring a forged tologram; (3) transmitting by telegraph as a telegram a communication, knowing the samb to he not a telegram (4) uttering as a telegram a communication knowing the same to be not a telegram. Hon. H. E. Pollock, Acting Attorne General, (instructed by Mr H. I. Donnys appeared for the prospection; Mr J.

Francis, Q. C. (instructed by Mr. Hastings) appeared for the defence, The following composed the jury !--Mesers C. Beurmann, G. C. Anderson, H. L. Dalrymple, N. A. Siehs, A. Denison, Thos. Arnold and H. H. Kirch. Mr Kliene was recalled, and further cross-examined by Mr Francis.

Mr J. M. Bock then gave evidence of the despatch of the telegram to Springford. Me Miliara, manager of the Nippon Yuson Kaisha, gave evidence of the negotiations to obtain a prepaid passage for Springford. On 22nd October, he received a telegram late in the afternoon that Clayton was on hoard the Miroshima Maru, bound for Hongkong. That was a Saturday afternoon, and on the following Monday he sent a letter to the Robinson-Piano Co., intimating the despatch of the vessel from Kobe, and that Clart n was a passonger. This letter was returned later in the day with the words, 'Not for us try Kliene, inscribed upon it. Some time early in November defendant saw inc about his name having been put in the receipt. It was affer the Hiroshima Maru arrived that defendant came to the office about the

In cross-examination, witness said it might have been on the 27th that defendant saw him about the receipt. F. W. Stokes, book-keeper in the em play of the Robinson Plano Co., stared be had seen Kliene many times in the Robinson Piano On a store. He sint spoke to seeing money pass from defendant to Kliene, and anhiequently having been in atructed by the defendant to autor \$40 as a losn to Kliene, in the each buok, Ho mantioned to Robinson that he had seat the money pass between defendant and Rliene, and defundant said, Oh, you should not have seen that, and mentioned that he had a note of it in his private memoranda book. 4 letter came from the Nippon Yuson Kaishe on the same day he made the entry of the loan. Witness opened the letter, and then handed it to the defendant, who was

the envelope either 'E. Kliene,' or 'Try By M. Francia-I believe I signed the chib hook. There was no appearance of biding when the money was handed over. I was in the store when Instructor Mothett came in. I heard Mr Robinson say, This is a lively business,' or samething to that effect I took a note to Mesara Doncon and Hastings after Mr Robinson was arrested. My deak is distant about thirty or thirty-five feet from Mr Robinson's desk. I have never seen Mr Kliene writ-

ing at Mr Robinson's desk. Tome Kichi Kawaguchi, cashier employed at the Nippon Yusen Kaisha's office. parture of the Hiroshimo Mars from Kobe. Mr Robinson came to the office. I was told by one of the clarks in the office that it was Mr Robinson. He told mahe wanted to see the receipt, and so I handed the receipt to Mr Robinson. After seeing the receipt, he said 'That amount was paid out of Mr Kliene's own pocket He asked me to soratch out the name. scratched out the name of the counterfoil, and put in Mr Kliene's name. Mr Robinson said he wanted the receipt itself to get Kliene to alter the name. I gave him the receipt. He took it away with him, and told me as soon as the matter was finished he would send back the receipt. He did not bring back the receipt. That is the only time I recollect seeing Mr Robinson

at our office. The Hiroshima Maru had not at that time arrived in Hongkong. By Mr Francis-The receipt is in handwriting. Mr Mihara handed money to me, and the receipt was made at the same time. I cannot remember

what time of day the money was paid. George Springford gave evidence having left the defendant's service because defendant stopped part of his pay, and was also to ston 315 a month out of his pay to recoup him for the passage money. wards myself and my colleague, the only received \$90 on the last month of his sumed name of Clayton. He was frightened Mr Robinson might detain him and compel him to finish his three years' agreement. He then gave evidence of having received the telegram at Kobe, in consequence of which he returned to Hongkong

by the Hiroshima Maru. Benjamin Emsley also gave evidence. Inspector Moffatt gave similar evidence to that tendered at the Magistracy.

In cross-examination, he mid he never heard Mr Robinson call for a coolie when he was arrested. He called for Mr Stokes. He was quite certain the words used by Robinson when he was arrested were not-'That d- Chinaman is always away.' He was not acquainted with Mr Emaley until the day he laid the information which led to the issue of the warrant. He never saw This concluded the case for the prosecu-

The defence called Ruchwaldy, Cavanagh and F. Comez as witnesses. The jury agreed to dispense with speeches for the defence and proscoution, and after a short consultation gave a verdict of not guilty.

Defendant was then discharged.

SURPRISE is expressed in Paris that the now before you which I admit does not go manly and firm way in which you have order to reduce the strength of the French Fleet in Chinese waters is maintained, in ing of a great reform. Many complaints admired by the members of our service, spite of the unsatisfactory condition of affairs in Peking. The fleet now consists The business of the meeting was then of twelve ships, of which five have now been ordered home, but the cruiser Entrecasteaux, fitting out at Toulon, is under orders for China, when, upon her arrival, the French Squadron will number eight

> Japanese Cabinet is that five not of the ten members of which it is composed are reilitary and payal officers. Marquis, Yamagata and Viscount Katsura are Marshals in the Army, Marquis Saigo and Count Kabayama Admirals, and Mr Yamamoto a Vice-Admiral Another curiods fact is that four of he members have previously held the Judicial portfolio, these being Marquis Yamamoto, Viccount Yoshikawa and Mesers Kiyoura and Bons, -- Kobe

HUMOURS OF A FOREIGN LAND. By the Author of Impressions of Honorons,

The Chinese capnet oldin to be a musical nation, whatever olse they may lay plaim to in the way of antiquity, and they've pegged out a protty good 'claim' in that respect, A band in full war-paint, that consists of one reed and string instrument, a tom-tom, a tin-whictle and a broken gong, isn't going to waltz round those who have listened to the soothing strains of a German band and a street organ. The Egyptians in the neighbourhood of the Cheops, according to the 'Evening Specials' of those times, gavo afternoon selections from Chopin, that the almond-eyed Mongolians have never been able to equal then or since, and they've had a fairly good time for practice

Messrs Mozart, Mendelssohn and Co. have written some creditable orohestral pieces that seem to fill the bill, shewing careful 'Handle-ing,' to which one listen a second time without between the bare for a rest. A long-queued, cotton-tunicked celestial crchestra. riddon for all its worth all the time; is another matter. It reminds you of one's first visit to a dentist-of the troubled souls in Dante's 'Inforno.' If, as the Poet said _ Music hath charms to saothe the savage breast '- he was evidently unaware of the

However up-to-date or advanced the the quatume of the women of that country for countless agos - over since, in fact, the days of the Iguanodon, and he's a pretty ancient bird. For unsightly hideourness, they take the palm - the impersons. ions of faminine femininities by Danlong being visions of loveliness in sumparison. Whother the dross is the butways more condomnable than the come orders of the paople, while they destroy standing at his deak. Defendant read the letter, and then shut it up, and wrote on

head to a painful extent. by means only of bamboo poles and rods, structure, though apparently of a frail nawhich these scaffoldings reach may be con-

stantly met in Victoria. Although the present state of affaira-Chinese, European, Asiatic and otherwise, things, Here's a pretty how d'ye do, the following extract from the San Francisco heading of 'Clairvoyants,' is assuring :-

Oreation is _&c. &c.

small quantity of the weed. It will be a surprise to many house-holders ib Hongkong whose dwellings are haunted harbouring wild beasts. Yet, so it is, it journal to one of their querists, inquiring whether their Insurance covers the loss of infest the average house?' It is sad news and only shews how those wild animal story books deceived and led us astray. I've since gone to live in a tent. J. W. H. B.

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THE REBELLION IN CENTRAL CHINA

EXTRAORDINARY PROCLAMATION BY TU MAN-KOR.

We have seen a letter from a resident la Changking, dated October 30, containing some interesting particulars of the rebellion in Contral China. The writer states that the robols, headed by Yu Man-tee, have been doing fearful haves to life and proparty all, over the province. The country is in a state of ferment, and foreigners travelling are in great danger of being kidnapped. A couple of weeks provious to the writing of the letter, the Europeans in the city were all on the point of leaving. Boats were hired, and some actually went down to Ichang. The property belonging to Roman Catholio missionaries already destroyed amounts to five million tasks, and about sixty persons have been murdered. The Chinese. Authorities have shown their incapability of governing the country, by endeavouring to obtain the submission of the rebel whief by presents of money. On October 28, Tls. 4.000 were sent to Yu Man-tse, and a promise of an for a man who was only a opolis in a coal mine before he gained notoriety and

destroying foreigners' property. The pusilneglected condition of Mr Confugius's musi- lanimous action of the Chinese Government will only not as an incentive to the promodern female advocate of 'rational dress' pagation of pecuniary gain. The following may imagine she is-in China, it has been | is a translation of a proclamation issued by Yu Man-tsa !-

On account of my ardent patriotism. I auffor griovance, as clourly set forth in this proplamation. For over 200 years we have lived and walked upon this land, and of the Linisters of our country, who has not had a heart of loyalty and rightsousness nome of plinette influences or shortness | Honos the 10 characters received by Shun of material, we know not, but could the and propagated by Yao, passed through the Westorn Reformers but see their Oriental dynastics of Hale, Shang and Chou, down to sistors in these divided exists, they would | Confucius, who also followed the ancestors. never again, in public or private, advocate | As we have these various books (for our inthe wearing of the blommer, And yet struction) dare we join the sects of the apris tout, different countries, different eavages ! At the present time foreignors ideas, and the follies of one are not much by means of their coesn ships, have everyworse than the follies of others-the where merchants and those who propagate cramped feet, disfiguring apparel and ugly the religion of Jeaus. These are plans for head-gear of the Celestial belle, are in no stealing the clothing and food of the lower

pressed waist, matince hat and high-heel | the relations of prince and minister, father shoes of the more delicately-nurtured and son, set up by the sages. By means of flower of the north. Fortunate it is; that foreign smoke (opium) thuy poison China, in England, anyone with a fad, hobby or and by excessive artfulness disturb the reform, can amuse him or herself to their hearts of men. From Tao-Kwang (Emheart's content, as long as they do not perer) to the present time the flame has tread on other people's per come whilst easily grown, and their actions have become riding them. In the 'Land of the Sun,' increasingly violent, so that we people are the tuere suggestion of adopting a new agitated, our women are prastituted tour kind of skirt, would loosen the proposer's Emperor is insulted, and they control our officials, occupy our capitals, and fraudu The equanimity of the Mongolium has lently take our money, and cat our children seldom been better instanced than in the like vegetables or fruit. (They cause) the following which was recently-presented to debt of our country to be heavy as amouna householder-'To hanging two chande- toin-they have burned our Spring Palace liers and myself-87 50c.' To those who and destroyed our dependencies; they alare curious in the matter of detail, it may fready occupy Shanghai and have cut off seem of little benefit to a man whatever Tai Wan (Formosa) and Chiao-Chou, and award he receives under such conditions, forcibly set un business ports. They desire and Tainan districts. Headquarters have but a little transposition of the wording to divide up Ohina. Such in the past has will solve the somewhat complex arithmeti- been the unreasonable conduct of these commenced. cal problem. In few things, is his me- barbarians, yet those do not equal those chanical skill more remarkable, than in the the present day. Han Fung (Emperor) startling celerity with which he will erect the present dynasty had to retreat to Peb the use of a single nail or piece of rope- been for the persocution of these dogs and

goats would there have been the pain of secured by strips of came. The whole | the hoiling over of the caldren (scalding the hands -humiliation)? I ask the Ministers ture, is as accure as a ship's rigging. of my country (who are without loyalty and Illustrations of the remarkable heights to rightoousness) who is there that does not review the Standing Squadron at Kobs share in bearing these injuries which are as after witnessing the military manteuvres at great as heaven. Now Pen Ni Ming (name adopted

throughout for Yd-Man-tai and afterwards -induce one to exclaim with Yum-yum, in translated by personal pronoun), although The Mikado. Here's a pretry state of I have not studied books, yet I know something of righteousness, and ordinarily mayal review held by the Emperor at Robe I pursued my course in peace, without dar-Chronicle, of August 16, 1898, under the jung to act wrongly : but the people of this tyrannial Church (Roman Catholics) cruelly 'If you want a lot of information the treated one Chang-sz (a chu ren). The offibest clairvoyant and palmist in 'God's cials did not search out the truth nor distinguish between straight and crooked. In ways that are dark and tricks that | and this affair was the original provoking of are vain, the heathen Chines is peculiar"- the anger of the multitude, but the blame we know every time-but once more the was all put upon me, one man, which was land of the Stars and Stripes takes the like the plum tree bearing a peach, while stakes. "There," said a traveller to his (other) birds escaped the not. They look-American friend pointing to Mount Vesu- ed upon me as a thief, and set soldiers upon vius then in a healthy condition of erup- me, conniving with those tigers and wolves tion-"is something you haven't got in from over the sea who kill our children. your country ?"- Well, no, he replied, I have been very lucky. The people of the then after a pause added-But I guess Church planned together in secret, and in the "our falle" would mighty soon put that 3rd moon, by means of much gold, bribed and bought over inordinate people; and It is well known, modern civilised races was arrested and taken to Yun Chang, and owe the pipe and their tobacco first of was about to be put to death, but fortune all to America - the oldest pipes being favored me, and though not believed by found in the grave mounds of the Missis- the barbarians, I was believed by my sippi Valley. The Chinese (and you people; and though the grievance was meet one or two occasionally in Victoria) not understood by the Magistrate, it was leave off eating to smoke, and smoking to understood by the people, in consequence eat, patronising tobacco and opium using of which all the neighbouring cities cried pipes having straight stome from three to out for redress and came together to Yun five feet in length—the bowl holding a Ch'ang, begging the Magistrate to release me. The official Yang having examined and found no fault. I was allowed to leave the prison and return home. Then these by those pests black-beetles, that they are crafty barbarians added the charge of the crime of surrounding the city and breaking we are to take the reply of a well-known open the prison, pointing me out as a great rebber, and they are going to set in motion the regular soldiers. I have no place to hide. I am deeply injured and call upon fowls, why not dogs and cuts and black. Heaven. On this account I called together now close to hand, a much heavier rebeetles and other "wild beasts" which the righteous (as followers) and have taken sponsibility will be thrown upon officials. oath to out off this shame of our country. Those of our own people, of the great sects | Japanese and foreigners and establish their; and of all shades, may all follow your own you. If my followers dare to act impro- concludes by urging officials to be loyaly.

perly they will be instantly put to death. Of the Fu, Chou and Heien cities we may come to, the officials are the officials of this country; the soldiers are soldiers of this country and the that are servants of the Emporor. If you can allow me to go unmolested there will not be the least trouble. only want to kill the foreigners, and not to injure the families of my country. If in regard to the withdrawal of the troops. you count me as a robber and oppose me from the neighbourhood of Peking. Peince with soldiers, then officials and soldiers are all foreigners (to me), not fit to be Ministers of this country, and must be killed. will be difficult to tie my hands. You who are followers of the Churches should each repent and smend his former error and bring gold for forgiveness, then you may be let off. If any men of ability and quetagood repute, or famed scholars are willing to follow me, they shall be treated muniti- WE hear (says the Posshoro Belo of the cently, and we shall listen to what they say 19th that a new Roman Catholic and take counsel in the camp with them Chapel has been built near Mamor Armens. when about to do anything of importance; for the use of the French employees, and At this time I am only set to out out the that the opening caremony is to take place enemies of the country, to increase the re | on the 20th inst. We hear also than the verence for Confucianism, and take away preparations for laying down a large are what is injuring the people; to wipe out moured ship have commenced at Mamoi former grisvances; to protect my country and our informants also speak of four or without seeking personal advantage. We fre torpeds boats which must be built ab have soldiers but they have little to cat, so the same time and for which the necessary

the godty of every place will behavolently and rightequaly give food and drink at they are able. We shall stay only about a day and than move on. Thus my sold are will not suffer hunger and the abiget shall be accomplished a then the 200 millions of Japan'a War money shall be returned again to us to pay this year's loan of thous gands and myriads of tacle. The Emperor will greatly love us poonle and we shall escape these taxes. All within and without the great sees use the distress of China and have discovered the great wrongs of people. We should cost off this cale. mity before our eyes, and drive out the dogs and goats of other days (who came previously), alterpen our ,words and spears that every bosom may share in this favour, pluck out their cruelty. Spread this abroad, shout it out with goal great as Heaven. This I respectfully inform you of.

RAILWAYS IN SOUTH CHINA.

THE CHARTERED BANK NOT TO COMPETE The following speeches were made at the half-yearly meeting of the Chartered Bank of India, Australia and China :-

Mr James Jones: I beg to propose That the cordial thanks of the shareholders be given to the directors and the staff, both at home and abroad, for then successful management of the Bank, may say that having had an experience of 20 years in China, and having studied the other Tls. 6,000 and also a button of high people and their books, and speaking as I do four different dialects of Chinese, I am military rank, if he would desist and dies absolutely sure that the prospecting and hand his men This is an enormous sum | making of railways in the south of China would be the commencement of the biggest rebellion that country has ever soon. The first thing a Chinaman does, when wealth by kidnapping a foreigner and he is clok or near to death, is to send to a geomanger to select a lucky site, and if in the end the family affairs go on prosperqualy money would not buy that grave. Any attempt to interfere with it would bring down the wrath of every one of the same surname as the man buried in the

grave. We once bought a piece of land containing two graves. We were not al lowed to buy the grayps nor to put a wal round them, and in order to preserve the lookous of the dead men elesping there we were compelled to nut rellinge found and to give free accous on the auniversary of their death so that sacrifices might be made on the anot. I therefore hope that I there is any prospect of a loan for reilways in South China the Chartered Bank will have

nothing to do with it. Mr Benjamin Smyth seconded the reso lution, which was very cordially received. The Chairman: Gantlemen, on behalf of my colleagues and the staff. I hag to thank you for your kind vots of thanks. I would only mention, in reference to Mr Jones's remarks, he may be settleded we shall take care that we have no part in any wild schemos. As regards Chinese railways generally. I would recommend the share. holders interested to read a very wise paragraph in the Roonomist of the 15th

> JAPANESE TELEGRAMS. (From the ' Kobe Chronicle.")

Uot, upon the subject. (Hear, hear,)

THE REDELS IN FORMORA. Tokyo, Nov. 11. - The Governor-General of Formosa has telegraphed to the Government his intention to commence operations. to-morrow to clear the rebals from Tajoku. Tokyo, Nov. 14.-The rebels in Taipsh district having been almost suppressed, the Governor-General has decided to make . sweeping clearance of the rehels in Taiobu

A dispatch from Taichn of the 10th inst. states that on the morning of the 8th inst. two soldiers belonging to the force stationed the loftiest heights of scaffolding without Hos (the Summer Retreat.) If it had not at Suirikosho were attacked by a band of the other dangerously wounded.

NAVAL BEVIEW AT ROBE An 'extra' to the Official Gazette issued last night announces that his Majesty will

The vessels of the Standing Squadron are the Fuji. Yashima, Chinyen, Idrukus shime, Matrishima, Hashidale, Naniwa. Akitsushima, Isumi and Suma. The last was in April, 1890. The Oraka Asahi states that the Governor of Hyogo sent an official yesterday to the headquarters of the manœuvres and inquired as to the route to be taken by the Emperor on his visit to Kobe-whether his Majesty would come by rail or by a man-of-war from Kawaguchi. The headquarters are, however, not yet aware of his Majesty's intentions. It is to be hoped the Emperor will come by road.

as the roads will then have a chance of being put in good order. - Eo. K.C. Tokyo, Nov. 12-The vessels of the Standing Squadron will leave Yokosuka to-morrow for Kobe, and will reach that port on the 16th and 17th inst. The mancenvres will extend from Kobe towards Sakal. Yokosuka, Nov. 13. -- The battleship Fuji and six other war-ships of the Standing

Squadron left here for Kobe this morning.

THE PREMIER'S ADDRESS. Tokyo, Nov. 11. - Marquis Yamugaia, the Premier, issued a private address to the Ministers of State vesterday. The full fruits of Constitutional Government, he said, can be reaped only whon each organ of the national body works within its proper limits and performs its duty in full. Administrative officials must in discharging their duties aim at restricting the business of their respective offices within the limits of laws and ordinances, observing uprightness. and honesty in their conduct and leaving nothing undone to form a proper medium between the people and the high authorities. The address points out that the time for the operation of the new Treaties being authority against both, while extending to calling, and we will not in the least disturb each their protection. Marquis Yamagata

faithful, and diligent, respecting order, observing thrift and simplicity in their life. maintaining in full the prestige due to Government officials and erablishing public lic confidence in the Government NEWS FROM CHINA Peking, Nov. 11. - Immediately after hearing the advice of the Japanese Minister

Ching consented to the demands of the Powers to this effect. The troops began to retire to Shanei Province yesterday exten manosuvres were held. The Governor-General of Port Arthur

has arrived at Peking and is entertaining the new Minister at a succession of ban-

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Optional Cargo will be forwarded un es notice to the quatrary be given before Any Corgo impeding her discharge will which moderated as we approached Hing-3 p. to. To-DAY. be landed into the Godowns of the Hono-KONG& KOWLOON WHARP & GODOWN Co., LD., and stored at Consigness' risk and expense.

No Claims will be admitted after the Gobds have left the Godowns, and all Googs remaining underspred after the 29th Inst. will be subject to rent. All Bruken, Obafed, and damaged Goods, are to be left in the Godowns, where they

will be examined on the 29.h Instant, at No Fire Insurance has been effected. BIEMSSEN & Co..

Hongkong, November 22, 1894. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

THE Steamship Lightning, having arrived from the above Ports, C.a. signess of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods will be delivered from alongside. Cargo impeding the discharge or remaining on board after 2 p.m. of the 25th Instant, will be landed at Consignees' risk and expense into the Godowns of the HONGKONG AND KOWLOON WHARP AND

GOLOWN COMPANY, LIMITED. Consignees of Oargo from Singaponia and PENANG are requested to take IMME-DIATE delivery of their Goods from alongnide; such Cargo impeding the discharge of the Vessel will be landed and stored at Consigness' risk and expense.

No Fire Insurance will be effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the undersigued.

DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co., Hongkong, November 22, 1898.

SHIPPING

November 21. Milke Maru, Japanese steamer, 2,060, S Kawamuro, Bombay Oct. 3, and Singapore Nov. 15, General, - Nippon Yuann

LAISHA. November 22. Koniga Moru, Japanene ate., 2,219. E. W. Haswall, Nagasald Oct. 18, General. NIPPON YUBEN KAISHA

Armenia, German atr., 3,469, H. Magin, Hamburg and Singapore Nov. 16, General. -STEMBSEN & Co. Tordenskjold, Norwegian ateamer, 738.

Danielson, Newchwang Nov. 13, General. -Lightning, British steamer, 2,124, J. G. Spence, Calcutta N.v. 5, and Sing spore 10; General. - DAVID SASSOON, SOME & Co. Kweiyang, British ateamer, 1,042, A. W. Outerbridge, Tientain Nov. 16, and Cheloo IT, General, - Burrangrand &

November 22. Names Manu, for Moji, Freie, for Tumsui. E's, for Haiphong, Kormetz, for Amog. Esmeralda, for Manila. bootok, for Banukok. Hustin, for swater, ushum, for Shaughal Hee, in Haiphone. Toydenskield, tor Carton

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Fukul Maru, for Kobs. PASSENGERS.

Per Mike Martt, from Slagapore, 69 Por Ross a Muris, from Nagosaki t for Hongkong, Mr and Mrs T. Masso, M.J. Port on TRURSDAY, the Stell Instant, at and Mrs J. Lewes, Mr and Mrs P. A. Davis, Mesers E. O. Levien and M. Heg-This Steamer, has Accommodation for | valley, 25, Japanene, 2 Europeane and In launt for Bid ey, Morars W. H. Skinner and T. J. Thompson ; for Melbourne, Mr and Mrs A, MacMillan, and

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Min Howe. Por Armenia, from Singapore, 208-Oh Par Lightning, from Oalenttes &c. Capt. Turner, Land. Hunder, Lieut, Berrett, Mr. and Mrs D was, Mrs Raymond and could, Mr Abrah m. ard 464 Chinese. Per Kupiyana, from Tiontain, &c., Messes Fenwick and Roberts, ad 11 Obi-

DEPARTED Per Remaraida, for Minila, Mesara E. Brammer. O. R. Grow. Webb, J. Orm to. chen, P. Merderona Mrs Beatty and 2 chiltren, Merera Isanes, O. Zibinky, Sprungli, Astheimor, My and Mrs Asthel-2328 mer, hir L. Gando, Dr Lucion, Mesers Millan, Dredge, McClure, Samson, B. sch, Mrs and Miss Brauer ather, Mrs E. D. Bellon Mas A. Bolton, Meseri Woods; Showard, H. Williams, F. Hanlop Me a d Min Rvarlata Reima, Monara H. G. Hill. U. E. Birron, T. Law, A. Tieler, Wadder,

> SHIPPING REPORTS. The British sigamer Kuciyang reports: Fresh N.Fily winds and flie weather to mouth of Yangiego ; from there to Formesa Strail, wind fresheard to a rong N.E. gale, with high sea, which lasted to 10 p.m., on 21st Nov. 1 when off Breaker Point, wlad chopped to North and blew atrong wale.

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For SATOON .-Per Kang Beng, at 7,30 a.m., on Wadnegrow, the 23rd November. For SHANGHAL .-

Pur Glenaron, at 1 30 p.m., on Wadnesuny, the 23rd November. Pec Eba i. at 1.30 p.m., on Thursday, the 24th N vember.

FOR PORT DARWIN, THURSDAY IS-COOKTOWN, TOWNS VILLE, BRISBANE, SYDNEY & MELEOURNE.

Per Chingto, at 2 p.m., on Wednesday, the 23rd Navember. For SWA OW & BANGROK .-Per Phra Chom Klas, at 5 p.m., on Wed.

nesday, the 23rd November. MAILS BY THE CANADIAN PACIFIC RAIL-WAY Co, a PACKET;-

The Canadian Pacific Mail Packet Empress of India will be despatched on WED-NESDAY, the 23rd Nov., with Mails, for Shanghai, Japan, United States, Canada, &c., which will be closed as follows :---

11.00 A.M. Post-Office closes, but Correspendence may be posted on board the Packet, with the Late Fee of 10 cents extra Postage, until the time of depar-

Hongkong Register.

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Honokoug Observatory, Nov. 22, 1898

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MEMUS, FOR TO-MORBOW. Chipping.

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p.m. Chingty leaves for Australian Ports. Meeting.

Noon. - Extraordinary Mooting of Share-holders of the New Halmoral Gold Mining Co., Ltd., at the Company's Nos. 28 and 40, Queen's Road

General Memoranda. THURADAY, November 24:-Goods per Glengron undelivered after this date subject to rent.

FRIDAY, November, 261-Goods per Lightning andelivered after 2 p.m. this date landed. Goods per Bamberg undelivered after this date aubject to rent.

SATURDAY, November 26 :-9 p.m.-Meeting of Victoria Chapter. MONDAY, Nov. 28:-Interim Dividend of 5% on Shares of the A. S. Watson & Co., Ltd., payable;

Anotet ann. Horakons, Nov. 22, 1899. PlUM-New Patna, cash, ... 7924 Old ____ oanh ___ Num. New Bennres, cash, 7971 oagh, ... Nom, New Malwa, credit ... 75 /760 Allowance, Trota. ... (/8 Last Year news ... 770/780 Arowance, Tools, ... (/12-Old Malwa oredit, ... 800/840 Augunnee. Taels ... U. Persian Paper tied -

Exchange Honoroug, November 22: 1898.

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Just The problems of this lesse communect at 6.56 p.m.

convince a meeting willing to be convinced

that the Covernment has been more

successful than any of its political

apponents in its dealings with the Chinese

Government. The Duke of Devenshirs

enacts the rale of apologist for the Chinese

Government when he minimises its respon-

aibility for the maintenance of treaty rights:

for foreigners throughout the country.

Then he proceeds to demonstrate to his own

entisfaction that the British Government

has not forfeited any of its rights in Ohina,

British nationals have equal opportunities

with all competitors for mining, railway

and industrial concessions in China; there

is nothing inconsistent in the open door

and the upheres of influence. It was

fairly safe to make this assertion to

he to say the same in Shanghai, Tion-

tsin, or Newchwang, ha would be laughed

to shame, unless, indeed, the absurdity of

Lords a few months hence that British

firms have equal opportunity with for-

eign competitors in Shantung or Man-

churis? Lord Charles Bereaford, who

has had the good sense to come to China

does not appear to think so. In the spe-

ing contemporary, Lord Charles Beresford

is reported to have said that 'England had

no policy in China and that the Russians

were surprised at being allowed to make

such a large advance. Advance into what i

Into the Chinese Empire! As we have

predicted, as the many English newspaper

correspondents on the spot have predicted,

Russian absorption of Chinese territory is

proceeding apace, and the only flaw that

can be found in the predictions is that the

absorption, thanks to the supineness of the

British Government, is being accomplished

We congratulate Lord Charles Bereaford

upon the soundness of his views on the

China quastion. He has ascaped the dan-

oognises as a fact that 'the British sphere of

influence in the Yangtee Valley is illusory,

and so it must remain so long as we allow.

other Powers to apread their influence on

Chinese territory as the Russians have

done in the Liaotung Peningula, and

as the French are preparing to do in

Bouth China when the pyschological

moment arrives, should no contretemps

are chiefly commercial; they are not

secured, and is, apparently, not proposing

encroachment on Mongolis, for which

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occur in the meanwhile. Great Britain

a party meeting in Glasgow | but were

changes in other portions of the globe would appealily revolutioniss China, as Japan has been revolutionised. of the Government have been delivering the oustomary speeches to their constituents a now are inaugurated for an officialand supporters. It is the outstanding ridden, long-suffering pouple. Weary feature of those speeches that foreign though they may well be of the non- A CHANGE in the Pouk Tramway time-table rather than domestic policy has received success of past efforts, let the commercial most attention, and we are glad to see that | communities of the Far East take heart in China has not been neglected. Seldom has that they have found a Member of the the policy of any government been subject. House of Commons who can voice their ed to so much adverse criticism; seldom opinions before the people of England has a government weathered a storm of Let the Chambers of Commerce co-operate orlifoism so severe, so sustained, so to support Lord Charles Beresford's mission well deserved. From friends and fees, and to strengthen his hands in whatever from Radical and Conservative benches, representations he is prepared to make on from the Conservative, the Radical and the his return to England. Lord Beresford's Independent sections of the press, from views will, we hope, carry conviction critics at Home and from eritics abroad, with the Government as well as with the Salisbury Administration has been as the general body of members of the sailed for its nerveless policy in China, and House of Commons, and if the Far Eastern it was only to be expected that when Chambers will use their influence with the time came for speeches more or less the leading Chambers at Home, it is TELEGRAPHIO information was received at irresponsible the ministerial apologists yet possible to bring about a change of Nagasaki from Cores on the 12th inst. to would made the most of their opportunity. policy which will rehabilitate British pres- the effect that the man named Elanagan. It may be accepted as a trite truism that tige at Peking, safeguard existing com- arrested on suspicion of the murder of Mr no vendor will deery his own goods. In mercial facilities, and open up and deve- G. Lake at Chemulpo, had been found like manner our statesmen have tried to lop new markets and new apheres of com- guilty and sentenced to penal servitude for place before the country in the best pos- mercial influence. sible light their China policy (or lack of policy, as Lord Charles Beresford, in common with many Far-Estern residents, has styled it), as the majority of the tatay-at-homes have only a gangraphical knowledge of the whereabouts of China little or no knowledge of the interests involved and the vast possibilities of trade Nov. 11 Romulas Diomed expansion in Ohina, the most specious arguments readily pass current, and the turia, Benlavig, Radnorthire, 15; Japan claves aylingistic statesman is able to raise Nestor. 18. a laugh at the expanse of his orities and to

LOCAL AND GENERAL

dictate an international policy in China

the Opinstial Empire would be preserved

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fuences that have wrought such gigantic

STEAMERS PASSED SURE CANAL (*UPPLIED-THROUGH MEDTER.) OUTWARD . Bhomp :- Oralgearn, Oct. 4: Palute 71 Baergia, 11; Indies, Harosiley, 21 | Dardanie, Kenmore, Malaya, 25 | Templas, 27 | Bangice, Heldelberg, 61 Oulabria, Sigeria, 81 Parling, Pathan, Vindohona, 111 As-

Homeward Bousd !- Indianum, Samin, Oot, 18; Patrodus, 21; Lov, Suevia, Bosofra, 95 | Inion, Manila, Nov. 1 : Darmstodt, 4: Antanor, 8; bill in the American war was not large. Natul, 16 | Macday, Wiltenburg, 18.

Exerten Mair of Sath Oat., left at I p.m., and may be expected here on or about Friday, the 2hth Nov. This Packet brings leplies to letters desputched from Hongkong on Sopt. The O. & O. Care a -a Dorie, with the

The P. & (). Ca.'s a. s. Ogroppendel, with

AMERICAN MARE, loft Yokohama ou Friday, the 18th Novi, at daylight, and may be expected here on or about Sunday, the 27th Nov. The P. M. s. s. City of Rio de Janeiro, with mails, do., left San Francisco for

Inland Sea, Kobe, Nagasaki and Shanghai on the 10th Nov. The C. P. R. Ca. s. Empress of Japan Shoon Res \$ 10 left Vancouver on Thursday afternoon, the 10th Nev., for Hongkong via porta

of call. Steamers Expected.

his declaration did not strike his audience The N. Y. R. s. Bingo Moru left Yo. Kwong Fung Wo dumb with amazement. Germany and Russis have very clearly indicated what their interpretation is of the phrase 'spheres of influence.' Will the Duke of Thursday Island, for this port, on the Wing Tung Kut...... Devoushire declare in the House of evening of 14th Nov., and is expected Bubrs; under 85......

to arrive here on the 25th Nov. The s. s. Letimore left Singapore on the The committee of the Royal Humans expected here about the 26th Nov. The P. & O. Co.'s s. a. Sumatria left Sin. the society to Robert F. Stewart, 18, and

at noon. The N. P. Co.'s a. s. Tocome arrived and investigate the situation for himself, at Yokohama, and sailed for Kobe and Hongkong, on the 17th Nov.

cial telegram from Shanghal to our morns The N. P. Co. s a. Mogul has arrived at Yokohams, and soiled for Kobe and Hongroup on the 22nd Nov. from Portland, Or., for Japan and Hongkong, on the 12th Nov.

C. M. Co's steamer Teenkal Swangea, Glasgow and Birkenhead &c., has passed the Canal, and may be about the 17th Nov.

N. P. Co.'s s. B. Kictoria sailed from Tacoma, for Japan and Hongkong, on the 3rd Nov.

Latest Advices.

The O. &O. Co. s s. s. Copie, with mails &c., which left honce October 25th. gesaki, Kobe, Inland Sea, Yokohama and Honolulu, arrived at her destination on the 21st Nov.

e P. M. s. s. Atter left San Francisco

for this port via Japan ports on the

noon of 19th Nov., and may

o C. N. Co.'s str. Taiyuan, from Australian Ports, left Port Darwin on the on or about Monday, 28th Nov. The a a. Knivsberg left Manila on 22nd Nov., direct for Hongkong.

has no special sphere of influence in China, Scoreages in Kobe celebrate St. Andrew We do not desire one. Our interests Eye with the customary ball. bound up in this mining lease or that rail. It is reported that the Emperor of Japan way concession. What we seek is a fair will present decorations to the foreign mili-

of China, and that our Government has not near Osaks. to secure. No greater mistake was ever A sevene earthquake shock was experimade than the proposal to 'esr-mark' the enced at Kobe on the 13th inst. Yangtee Valley. Much harm has been serious damage is reported, although the articles recodning the adventures of two done by the newspapers which indulged in shock is said to be the severest since Octo-

loose references to the Yangtes Velley as the ber, 1891. political influence. If Great Britain is to tolerate Russia in Manchuria, the Govern- Bayetha Japan Mail the Chinese in Yoko. IN Master, Statum School. Rawalhama will be represented by a newspaper within sever I regard Chamberlain a their own language. Kang Yu-wei will medicine. Have seen it seen for mothschement ought at least to prepare to resist any be the chief editor of this paper, which shoulded form and once on a very bed Tientain is the outlet, to remist any further advance upon Peking either from the will be called the Shings of tipes. Offices are stready secured at No. 182, and the Resty our was case Chamberlain's Pain North or the East. It is not too late to capital subscribed amounts to 10,000 year.

form an alliance for the spaintenance of the open door in China. A commercial Plano Tuning and Repairs, New Music. alliance is called for, and that can surely Mandolics. Banks, thus stook. - Robins be found in a federation of the four leading son Piano Con-

pomineralal Powers opnicorned-Britain, I Wa understand ship arrangoments are the United States, Germany, and Japan contemplation for a Volunteer Ball of A goalition of those Powers might wall February Eth.

> THE Gorman degably Kower, which recent ly touched bottom near Function is to deal at Kowlouri on Thursday next.

Ox November 10, the P, and O, steamen

Rossita arruck an unknown object near

Naguanki, and is undergoing repairs in the Nagasaki Dock. is advertised by the General Managera. An additional car will be run at 2.40 p.m.

until further notice. A Tokio telegram states that the negotia. tions for the purchase by Japan of the tolegraph cable between Formosa and Fouchow are expected to be concluded satisfactorily by the payment to China of 150,000 tasks,

A JAPANESE native paper states that the three Empress steamers have been requisitioned by the British Government. The Empress of India, at present in Harbour, exhibits no symptoms of war fever!

THE Band of The 'King's Own' will play the following programme at the Officers Mess, Murray Barracks, on Wednesday evening next at 8 p.m.;-

1.—Cverture... Les Dragons De Village ... Maillers ... Maillers ... Maillers ... Maillers ... Choiste Millers ... Chough and Grow . History ... Chough and Grow . History ... Callacti. h, Palection . 'Reminiscences of England' Cad Asse des Yaire com L'Etoile Polaire con munch freitlieur OOD BAYS THE QUEEN!

An American contemporary is responsible for the following |-The shot and powder The gost of the aminunition which destroys ed the Spanish fleet at Manila was but £9,000, while the emashing up of Ade miral Cervera's ships was achieved at an Singapore on Saturday, the 19th Nov., expense of but £20,000 for shot and shell, At Manila the great bulk of the 5,681 projectiles fired were six and one pounders. while in the case of the 7,581 ared at Santingo, as is evident from the cost, the guts of heavier calibre were also salled freely into requisition.

THE Hon, Treasurer of the Alice Memorial and Notherspie Hospitals begs to acknowthis port via Honolulu, Yokohema, ledge with thanks the following donations to the funds of the Hospitals :--

County & Co. Tuck Hag gernagen gereinter verraus inrere. Yes Hing Wah Hing kohama direct for this port on the Yeu Shun Hong 17th Nov., and is expected to arrive Kwong Yee Cheong here on the morning of 23rd Nov. Kwong Yick Wo N. Y. K. a. a. Tokie Morra, left Kwong Yee Ying

19th Nov, at 6 p.m., and may be Boolety have awarded the bronze medal of gapore for this port on the 19th Nov., James E. Stawart, 18, sons of Mr James Stewart, superintendent-in-chief of the Imperial Chinese Arsenal. Tien-tala. for their gallant conduct in saving three girls, aged thirteen, fifteen, and sixteen respectively, who were being awapt out to N. P. Co. s. s. Ningchow sailed sea while bathing at Pei-tai-Ho, near Tientein. The British Consul, in hringing the case to the society's notice, stated that from an intimate knowledge of the place the considered due at Singapore on or rescue must have been effected at extreme risk, and that the courage and resource displayed by the two youths was remark-

In his speech at the half-yearly meeting of the Chartered Bank of India, Australia and China, the Chairman said :-- When we for San Francisco viu Shanghai, No. last mot I expressed a belief that our branch at Manila would suffer no harm from the action taken by the United States Admiral, and happily my expectation has been borne out by results. But none the be O. S. S. Co.'s str. Polyphemus, from less, we must bear in mind the anxious Liverpool, left Singapore on the after- weeks passed by our own staff there, in expected here on or about Friday, the daily fear of trouble to themselves and to the important interests committed to their charge. They had ever before them he 19th Nov., and may be expected here possibility of bombardment, or incendiarism, or attack from the insurgents, coupled with insufficient food. You will no doubt be pleased to learn that the directors have specially thanked those genthomen for their services in time of peril. and have also voted them a sensible donation of money as some compensation for the hardships they have endured.

field and no favour in any and every part tary officers who witness the manœuvres Brimsnian & Allison Pianos, the very best

It is asserted that where Mr Water Savage Landor failed two missionaries have succeeded, a semi-religious weekly announcing the forthcoming publication of a series of missionaries who are said to have actually reached the sacred city of Linasta.

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ING COMPANY, LIMITED,

the Company's Offices, Nos. 38 and 40 Queon's Road Central, TO MORROW the 23rd day of November, 1898, at Twolve o'clock Noon, for the purpose of confirme ing the Resolutions, which were passed on the 5th November, 1898, namely 1-

(1).- " That the Agreement dated the Nineteenth day of October, 1898, of the other part, for the sale of the undertaking of the Comp ny to Queen Mines Limited, for \$35,000 to be paid and assisted by the Allotment of 100,0-0 fully paid up Shares in Queen M nos, Limited, of 26 cents each, be and the same is hereby

(2). - That the Company he would up I voluntarily and that William "Button Potts be, and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the put-JOHN D. HUMPHREYS & SON.

General Managers.

Hongkong, November 22, 1898. 2120 NOTIOE.

LL BILLS Due by me should be sen A to the Office of the 'MANILA TIMES,' 2, Plaza de Cervantes, Mapila, and will be PAID forthwith.

T. COWEN. Formerly of ' Hongkong Telegraph.' Manila, November 6, 1893. - NOTICE.

TITE have Authorized Mr. M J. MOSES to SIGN Our FIRM from This

S. J. DAVID & Co. Hongkong, November 17, 1898. 2196 THE GREAT EASTERN AND CALF DONIAN GOLD MINING CO., LIMITED.

ATOTICE is bersby given that the FINAL CALL of \$1.10 per SHARE on Shares Nombered

24,251.24,300 44,306-44,405 24,351-24,500 46,706-46,805 32,601-32,700 49,480-49,585 33,501 33,650 50,338-50,385 33,701.34,00050,888 50,985 34,101,34,500 58,426.58,445 34,751-34,800 61,746-61,770 35,301.35,400 63.271-63, 320. 35,701-35,750 63,721-63,732 38,826-38,925 84,846-64,895 39,876-39,925 65,296-65,345 43,821-43,870 67,396.67,495

must be PAID into the Hongkong AND SHANGRAI BANKING CORPORATION, Hongkerg, or the Office of the Company, No. 7, QUEEN'S ROLD CENTRAL, Hongkong, on or before the 30th day of November, 1898, a d Notice is also hereby given that in the N'SAKI, KOBE, & event of non-payment of such CALL together with any interest which may have accrued thereon, on or before the said 80th day of November, 1898, the abuve mention ed Shares will be liable to be forfelted.

LUTGENS, EINSTMANN & Co., General Agents. Hongkong, Nevember 16, 1898. NOTIOE

I HAVE This Day Established myself as ACCOUNTANT and AUDITOR, Accounts kept and adjusted. Balance Sheets Drawn up, and all Accountant's work undertaken.

WM. H. GASKELL.

Letters should be addressed care of HONOXONG HOTEL Hongkong, November 15, 1898. 2178

THE GREAT FASTERN AND CALE. DONIAN GOLD MINING CO. LIMITED,

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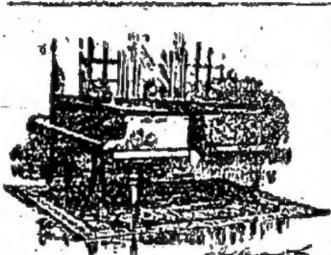
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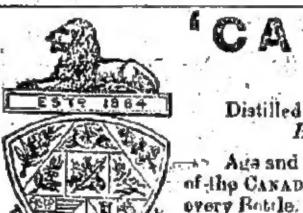
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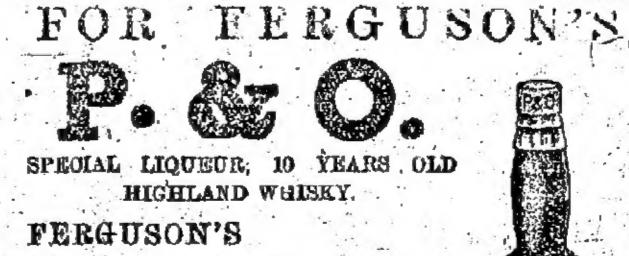
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